WILMINGTON, N. C. THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 6.

many, with \$30,000,000. Neither the Bank of England nor the BANK MERGERS IN NEW YORK. Bank of France, says the Atlantic Monthly writer explains, "is domi-Baltimore Sun: The concentranated by outside interests that tion of industry in the United States during the last ten years has can involve them in the fortunes of special enterprises. Against its had a marked effect upon the banknormous deposits the Bank of ing interests of the country. The "community of interest" principle England maintains a cash reserve of has been extended to the banks, over 50 per cent., while the position of the Bank of France is even notably in New York, which is the financial center of the nation. The stronger. The reserves of the New expansion of American industry has York banks seldom exceed very increased enormously the demands greatly the 25 per cent. limit estabupon our banking system. In exlished by law." The Atlantic planation of the concentration of Monthly writer concludes that the banking interests in New York, it weakness of the big banks in New is alleged that only a very large York consists in the fact that they financial institution or a group of do not occupy an independent position because of their close connec-

powerful banks and trust companies can supply the demand of gigantic industrial corporations for financia accommodation. A small bank could not, at a few hours notice, effect loan of millions of dollars or undertake any of the vast enterprises which are characteristic of the present age. Hence, it is claimed, bank concentration is the legitimate and inevitable outgrowth of industrial consolidation. In the current number of the At-

lantic Monthly Mr. Charles J. Bullock writes informingly upon the subject of bank mergers in New York. He divides the financial institutions of the metropolis into "two major and two minor spheres of influence." Of the two "major sheres," one is dominated by the Standard Oil interests; the other is controlled from the bank ing house of J. P. Morgan & Co. and the offices of two of the large insurance companies. The Standard Oil interests control the National City Bank, which has a capital surplus and undived profits of \$131, 000,000. This bank stands at the head of a chain of a dozen banks and trust companies in New York and is believed to be connected with 50 or more institutions in various parts of the country. The Mor-"sphere" includes of banking institutions At the head of one of these chains is the First National, which "within 10 years has increased its total resources from \$31,000,000 to \$110,000,000, and now has a capital, surplus and undivided profits exceeding \$23,000,000." The total of the institutions in this chain is estimated at \$33,000,000, with deposits and loans, respectively, of \$149,000,000 and \$72,000,000. The second chain in the Morgan sphere is headed by the National Bank of Commerce, with which are grouped four other institutions. At the head of the third chain is the Western National Bank. The aggregate capital of the three chains in the Morgan "sphere of influence" is \$97,000,-000, with deposits of \$472,000,000 and loans amounting to \$300,000,-000. Of the two "minor spheres," the "Morse group," including 12 banks and 2 trust companies, has aggregate capital of \$23,000,000 and loans amounting to \$100,000,000. At the head of the second minor sphere is the National Park Bank. Affiliated with it are five institutions, the combination having an aggregate capital of \$13,000,000 and loans estimated at \$76,000,000.

The entire banking capital invested in New York is about \$451,000,-According to the Atlantic Monthly writer, the Morgan and Standard Oil alliances control not less than \$305,000,000. Thus, it. appears, two groups of magnates control nearly one-half of the banking capital of the financial metropolis. Would it ever be possible for them to establish a practical monopely of the banking business in New York? That is the question train to the city regularly each day." which students of finance are now asking. The Atlantic Monthly writer regards a monopoly as inconceivable. Even when a government grants special privileges to a central my boy Hank." "Spare his life?" queried the teurist. "No, but they brnk, as has been the case in Europe, a vigorous competition still exists. A vast system of private and incorporated banks has grown up in England despite the advantages possessed by the Bank of England, while the Bank of France has strong rivals, among them the Credit Lyonnais. Still, while monopoly is regarded as impossible, the Atlantic Monthly writer finds that "the prospect is not free from all unpleasant features. So large a part of the resources of the New York banks is now controlled by the great alliances that it would be difficult to finance a corporate enterprise of the largest But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Fire without the consent of the Morgan-Rockefeller interests. For Guaranteed by R. B. BELLAMY, drugthe present a few magnates have the situation pretty well in hand. It is unfortunate to have the largest banks and their alliated institutions so closely identified with corporate interests. This gives to the great captains of industry almost unlimited cortrol over other people's capital and enables them to tie up in their own enterprises banking resources that should be available for the use of the community at large. Especially banks and their allisted instituthe community at large. Especially undesirable is it to have life insurance and trust companies drawn so largely into the domain of specu-

lative finance.". There is no bank either in the Standard Oil or the Morgan "spheres of influence" which has resources SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

equal to those of the great banks of

other countries. The National City

Bank, with its capital of \$25,000,-

000,000, does not compare with the

Bank of England, with \$72,000,000

capital; the Bank of France, with

\$36,000,000, and the Bank of Ger-

tion with various industrial inter-

ests. In his opinion, New York

will not rival London as an interna-

tional financial center "until our

financiers have learned the difference

between banking and the promotion

CURRENT COMMENT.

rops we can forget the cycle theory

f prosperity and regard without

special uneasiness the shrinkage in

sheinkage is nothing more than the

periodical wringing out of watered

tocks. But this time the wringer

has been squeezing extraordinarily

hard. Thus the standard issues

have been knocked down, too, but

in Wall street the good and the bad

come down together just as they go up together .- Washington Star, Rep.

- In considering the matter of

lobbying, it is well enough to bear

in mind that there are two kinds of

it, the honest and the corrupt. All

lobbying is not bad. The people

entatives assembled in the Legis-

ature, and to make arguments to

them individually for or against

bills pending. It is the right and

privilege of individuals and interests

to work for or against bills in an

honest and straightforward way.

The corrupt lobby, however, is an

unmitigated evil and should be put

out of business .- Savannah News,

- The Staunton News and the

Norfolk Virginian-Pilot are dis-

cussing anew the question "whether

or not the war between the States

was a war of rebellion." We do not

care to go into the discussion, but

if we might be allowed to express

an opinion we should say that it

was a war of rebellion on the whole.

The Northern section rebelled

against losing so large a part of the

profitable home market for its manu-

actures, and the Southern section

rebelled against the Northern sec-

tion. There you are; and here we

are. Let it go at that. The ques-

tion is not of any "practical" in-

terest, and ours is an eminently

practical nation .- Charleston News

TWINKLINGS

— "Grandpa, what is a morgana-tic marriage?" "A morganatic mar-riage? H'm. That must be a mar-

- How it Happened. - Wolf:

What made you fall down in

the stock market? Lamb: Some-

body gave me a straight tip. - Bos-

- Mrs. Wardworker-What do

politicians mean by a "logical" can-

didate? Mr. Wardworker-A logi-

cal candidate, my dear, is the man

who has the most money to spend

during the campaign .- Somerville

- "Now, wasn't that plain?" ex-

claimed the fond mother. "Bright

"ittle ootsums-toot-sums! He can

say all sorts of things." "Yes," said her bachelor brother, "but no

one particular sort of thing."-

-"Yes," said the bank official

"we need a runner for the bank.

Have you had any experience?"

"Well, str," replied the applicant,

"Pve lived at Lonesomehurst for

years, and I've caught the 7:39

- "Yes," said the old native of

the Kentucky mountains, "them

Birdseye boys are pretty bitter, but

they had some heart in dealin' with

eased him the demijohn before the

- "You see," said Farmer Corn-

"So you sent him to col-

"Yes. Now we're waiting

tossel, "a phrenologist once told us

that our boy Josh had a remarkable

to see whether his head is goin' to

turn out to be a congenial residence

fur brains or jes' a garden fur foot-

Puts an End to It All.

A grievous wail oftimes comes as

result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs, Diminess, Backache, Liver complaint and Constipation.

FOR Over BIXLY Years

MBS. WIESLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has

DR.PIERCES

GOLDEN

DISCOVER

BEOOD, LIVER, LUNGS.

ball hair." - Washington Star.

shootin'." - Chicago Daily News,

Catholic Standard and Times.

-Philadelphia Press.

riage for money."-Life.

and Courier, Dem.

have a right to petition their repre

values" in Wall street. For this

- As long as we can grow big

of companies."

- Two negroes had a fight in Raleigh Saturday night and one bit the other's lip off, and he came near

bleeding to death. - In Harnett county a few days ago a colored woman gave birth to three children-two boys and a girl. The mother was about 40 years old and was already the mother of ten

- The corpse of an unknown man, partially consumed, was found in the swamps near Newbern last week. No one is missing from the neighborhood and there is no clue to the identity of the corpse.

- A dispatch from Tarboro says child of Henry Edwards, about a year old, got hold of some morphine pellets Thursday and chewed up number. The child's life was saved by prompt work on the part of a physician.

- At Advance, Davie county, Wednesday night, twelve barrels of whiskey, seized by the government and placed in a freight car to be taken to a government warehouse for confiscated liquor, were stolen from the car.

- A little son of Mr. A. S. Mathis, of Yadkin county, was badhurt last Thursday by being kicked in the face by a mule colt. His nose was mashed completely out of shape, but the surgeons have operated on him so that they hope it will not disfigure him.

- Asheville Citizen: Bed bug poison was the dose chosen by Mrs. F. E. Bishop to end her life last night. The woman lives near the cotton mill and her husband is a painter whose father is employed by the street cleaning department. She took a liberal dose and lay in a stupor for a long time after a physician was summoned. No particular cause was assigned for the

- Warren Record: We learn that on Thursday night of last week, in Nutbush township, about forty masked men terribly beat and whipped a negro. This man was the one that was charged with burning the Kimball stables last Spring, but the grand jury at June court failed to find a true bill. From the last report it was hardly thought that the negro could recover.

- A Raleigh dispatch says: Two young ladies, sisters, had a strange experience Monday night during the very severe electric storm. They were in a room at their home and when there came a mighty crash of thunder one sister saw the other fall from her chair. The one who fell instantly became speechless and so continued until late the following day. She was very highly charged with electricity, and this shocked her sister the moment the latter attempted to touch her.

Cut Both Ways. "I want my hair cut and no talk," said a great man with an I own the earth air, as he walked into a barber's shop and sat down.

"The"- commenced the man in the "No talk, I tell you!" shouted the heavy man. "Just a plain hair cut. I've read all the papers and don't want

any news. Start away now!" The man in the apron obeyed. When he had finished, the man who knew everything rose from his chair and surveyed himself in the glass. "Great Scott!" he exclaimed. "It's really true, then? You burbers can't do your work properly unless you talk." "I don't know," said the man in the apron quietly. "You must ask the barber. He'll be in presently. I'm the glazier from next door."

The Giant Spider of Ceylon. Far up in the mountains of Ceylon there is a gigantic spider which spins a bright yellow web, each thread being almost as large and strong as "buttonhole twist" or embroidery floss. The net which this creature forms from these webs is often five to eight feet across. This net is swung on mainstays or guys which are from ten to twenty-five feet in length and strong enough to call the pedestrian to a halt as suddenly as if he had encountered a low hanging clothesline. These yellow webs are collected by the natives as well as by Dutch and English residents and woven into pretty mats, screens.

The Limit. Mr. Cribbs-Mrs. C., I have borne with resignation-nay, even cheerfulness antique chairs that wabbled, antique clocks that were always thirteen bours behind time, antique rugs that some prehistoric Turks wove, antique china, antique bowls, pans and kettles. All this I have smiled at, but when you give me antique eggs for breakfast I draw the line, madam-I draw the line.

The Cheapest and Best of Excursion Thos. H. Knight offers the extreme ly low rate of \$2.00 for the round trip to Columbia, S. C., the beautiful capitol city of the old Palmetto State, on Wednesday, August 19th, return-ing on Thursday night at 7 o'clock. Nothing better has offered itself to the excursion-going public and this cheap est of all cheap rates insures a big crowd. Knight's excursions are universally popular because they deserve to be. Don't miss the best chance ever offered the people of Wilmington. This excursion will go over the fast and elegant Atlantic Coast Line in first class cars. You will not be on the road all day, but will arrive in Columbia at 1:45 P. M.

Reduced Bates

Washington, D. C.—Grand Foun-tain United Order True Reformers. Tickets on sale August 30th, Sept. 1st and 2d; final limit September 10th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, N. C., \$11.55.

Los Angeles and San Francisco. Cal.—National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic. Tickets on sale July 31st to August 18th; final limit October 18th. Fare round trip from Wilmington, N. C., \$64.75. Fee of 50 cents will be charged at destination for validating ticket.
THOS. D. MEARES, G. A.

suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system or despondency invariably precede suicide, and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. condition which makes suicide likely.
At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a
great tonic and nervine will
strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It is also a great Stom-ach, Liver and Kidney regulator. ach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist.

Bears the The Mind To Here Heapt Bought of the Hell Little

JUDGED BY HER BOOK.

The Way Girls In the Big Bepartment Stores Are Watched. The girls in a large department store, says Frank Leslie's, are, as a rule, carefully watched not only in the store, but out of it. The buyer of each department knows pretty well the habits of his sales ladles; knows how much it costs them to live and how they spend their evenings. It is easy for him to get the information not merely throughthe store detective, but in many other The buyer is, as a rule, a tolerant

person, who cares only for two thingsnamely, that the girls "deliver the goods"-i. e., that they make big "books"-and that they appear respectable. If they stay out so late at night that they do not reach the store promptly in the morning they may be discharged, transferred from one department to another or merely not rise in the way of salary, depending on the degree of their misdemeanor. If the girl's book is unsatisfactory she is simply discharged or transferred, and no reasom is given, but if she is wise she knows the reason why. If, on the other hand, the girl is

good seller the buyer will excuse great deal in the way of irregularity of habits. As long as a girl sticks closely to business she is allowed a great deal of freedom, but when her "book" begins to suffer it is time for her to "look

A Lawyer's Bill. Here is the story of an Ohio lawyer who did not become a politician, as he was not built on political lines. It is told by a Washington man, who was his clerk at one time. Lawyer B. was gruff sort of personage and believed in making every one pay for every service. One of his clients was the president of a bank, who, during the pendency of his case, dropped into the awyer's office very frequently and told stories. The lawyer was a good listener, and seemed to enjoy the stories very much, but after the banker went out Lawyer B. would say: Here, charge Mr. - \$10 for an hour of my time. If I have got to listen to his stories he has got to pay me for it." Finally, the bill was made out and carried to the banker. It was an itemized account, stating the date of each call. He scanned it closely and remarked:

"He has made me pay for it pretty well, hasn't be?" "Pay for what?" asked the clerk "For listening to my stories." And then he paid the bill.-Washington Post.

HIGH PRICED COFFEE.

let the Hotel Steward Thought the Charge Was Moderate. "So you think we charge too much for coffee, do you?" asked the steward of one of New York's fashionable botels in response to a mild complaint from a guest. "You paid 35 cents-for small pot of coffee with cream, didn' you? You admit that there was nothing the matter with the coffee, but you say you didn't use all of the cream. Maybe you didn't, but some other guest might have wanted more than you did. The coffeepot, pitchers for hot milk and cream and the sugar bowl were of silver. Your cup and saucer were of the very best china. It costs something to make that coffee, and we have to get some return on our investment in the silverware and china. There are two cups of coffee in a small

sold it at 10 cents a cup. "There is another thing you must consider - when you go into a high class cafe you are given a table by yourself. No matter how badly we are crowded no one is placed at the table with you. Suppose we sold coffee at popular prices. Don't you know that hundreds of people would be dropping into the cafe just for a cup of coffee in order to see the crowd? They would monopolize all the tables. Don't say a word, but one reason why we put up the price is to keep the coffee drinkers out, so that you may have a fable when you want to sit down to champagne and terrapin."-New York Press.

pot, and we would lose money if we

There is a Presbyterian family in Washington which owns or is owned by a masterful boy of seven. The boy's grandmother came to visit them recently and reproached them because the child had not yet been baptized. The mother protested lamely that she expected to defer that until the boy should unite with the church. Grandmother sniffed and said if they waited till the boy professed religion and wished to join the church they'd wait until the forty-first year of the millennium; so it was decided that he should be baptized at once. Somewhat of the discussion reached the youngster, and he marched bravely up to his mother. "Have I got to be baptized?" he asked.

"Yes, dear," answered the mother. "All right, then," said he cheerily. don't care when you have it done. I had my arm broken, and I had my shoulder dislocated, and I didn't feel it a bit when the doctor fixed them. Just have 'em give me a little chloroform, and they can baptize me all they want." -Washington Post.

Poison In Young Rattlesnakes, Observations on live rattlesnakes show that the poison glands become functionally active as soon as the snakes begin to shift for themselves, which must be very soon after birth. Experiments on the young ones six days after birth proved the presence of venom in small quantities, Experiments made three months after birth showed that considerable venom is seereted, as a pigeon inoculated at this time died in two hours with the usual symptoms of chronic polsoning.

An Odd Superstition. On the eastern shore of Maryland billiousness is cured by boring three holes in a carefully selected tree and walking three times around it, saying. "Go away, bilious." It is a matter of utmost importance whether the one who performs the spell walks with the sun or against the sun, but no one knows which is the approved direction. -Exchange.

Many Appetizing Dishes can be made doubly delightful and nutritions by the use of Borden's Peerless Brand Evaporated Cream, cream but has the merit of being pre-served and sterilized, thus keeping perfectly for an indefinite period. Borden's Condensed Milk Co., pro-

I was afflicted with catarrh; could neither taste nor smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus G. Schautz, Rahway, N. J. Organ Balm resched me safely and OREAN BALM resched me safely and the effect is surprising. My son says the first application gave decided relief. Respectfully, Mrs. Franklin Freeman, Dover, N. H.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneering. Sold by druggists at 50 cts. or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

Where There is Life There is Hope

CASTORIA. Chart H. Fletchers ALL WRONG.

The Mistake Is Made by Many Wilmington Citizens

Don't mistake the cause of back-To be cured you must know the

It is wrong to imagine relief Backache is kidney ache. You must cure the kidneys.

A Wilmington resident tells you

how this can be done. R. F. Rowan, clerk with L. Davis' Clothing House, residing on Castle street between Sixth and Seventh, says: "I strained myself lifting a heavy box, and suffered great pain across my back for a long time. I used plasters and liniments but they did me no good. I could hardly stand up straight, my back was so weak. Seeing Doan's Kid-ney Pills advertised in our newspapers I went to Bellamy's drug store and got a box. I felt better the next day and continued using them according to directions and my back regained its old strength. I was simply surprised at the result. I will gladly recommend Doan's Kid-

ney Pills every time for backache. For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name-Doan'sand take no substitute. au 2 1w

Birds Plant Trees. old time Arizona woodchopper says the bluejays have planted thousands of the trees now growing all over Arizona. He says these birds have a habit of burying small seeds in the ground with their beaks and that they frequent pinon trees and bury large numbers of the small pine nuts in the ground, many of which sprout and grow. He was walking through the pines with an eastern gentleman a short time ago when one of these birds flew from a tree to the ground, stuck his bill into the earth and quickly flew away. When told what had happened the eastern man was skeptical, but the two went to the spot and with a knife blade dug out a sound pine nut from a depth of about an inch and a half. Thus it will be seen that nature has

How He Lost \$1,000,000. Colonel Ochiltree used to tell a story of how he once lost \$1,000,000. "It was at a banquet," he would say

her own plan for forest perpetuation .-

Indianapolis News.

and Senator Hearst of California sat beside me. Hearst told how years before he and his party had once been helped across the Platte by a brave red haired boy. The boy to do this deed had risked his life. Senator Hearst a he talked on got enthusiastic in his gratitude to the lad. "Why,' he said, "if I could only find that boy tonight, I'd make him a pres-

ent of \$1,000,000; "I could restrain myself no longer at this point. I burst into tears. 'Senator.' I said, 'I am that red haired boy. Behold the boy in me! "But Hearst said, 'Ochiltree, you lie!"

"And thus I lost a million."

wouldn't eat last night!"

The Pale Yellow Kind. There is a double joke in this story which the New York Mail and Express relates. A little girl, riding with her mother in a street car, was much attracted by an amber necklace worn by lady who sat opposite. "Mamma," she exclaimed, "are those beans that the lady has on a string

around her neck?"-"No, no, my dear," said her mother in confusion. "They are very pretty "But, mamma," persisted the child, ferred, no sales. they look just like those beans papa

Superfluous Implement. "Here, madam," said the peddler at the back door, "I have a most useful little household instrument. It is a combined screwdriver, buttonhook, can opener, latchkey, lamp cleaner, letter opener, paper cutter, pipe fixer and penknife. Can I sell you one?" "Sell me one?" repeated the house keeper. "What do I want with one? Can't you see that I wear hairpins?"-Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

A Business Man. Excited Neighbor-What do you le that boy of yours build a bonfire in my back yard for? Placid Neighbor-Isn't your yard in E. N.-No, it isn't.

P. N.-That's all right. I'm an insurance agent. Here's my card.

The Adorer-It's wonderful, old man, what love will enable a fellow to see in a girl that he never saw before. The Onlooker - No doubt, but it's equally wonderful what it won't him see that he'll see later.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilming ton, N. C., August 6. STEAMERS. Undaunted, (Br) 2,026 tons, Elliott Alexander Sprunt & Son. SCHOONERS.

Oors, 104 tons, Buck, to master. Olty of Georgetown, 506 tons, Slocum Emma Knowlton, 309 tons, Hudson Lillie, (Br) 311 tons, Davis, to ma

Chas H Valentine, 536 tons, Williams to master.

FREE

Stuart's Gin and Buchu

Cures Kidney and Bladder Troubles. The market at the close was weak and

We have set aside 15,000 bottles of Stuart's Gin and Buchu to give away to sufferers to prove to them that Stuart's Gin and Buchu will cure the most deep seated cases of Kidney and Bladder Trouble and Bheumatism.

Many people die from disease because so many overwork themselves. Other folks suffer from Diabetes, Dropsy, Swelling of the Feet and Ankies, Bheumatism, Bad Blood, Gout, Gravel, Inflammation of the Bladder, Eleopieseness, anaema, Rervousness, Headache, Neuralgia, Urine looks badly, with strong odor, frequent desire to pass water, Dizziness.

Suart's Gin and Buchu will destroy the policies fails. All the symptoms premptly disappear and you teel better from the first dose. Thousands of the worst cases ever heard of have been permanently cured by Stuart's Gin and Buchu, which gives energy, life and power to the kidneys. They cause the kidneys to parity the blood, to make it redder and healthfer and more nourishing. Puts new life into your body, new color into your blood, new ambition into your mind, new use in your muscles, and cures all above named symptoms of kidney trouble. Sold at drug stores, or by express prepaid, Si.

Thoroughly tested for twenty years. Stuart's prepaid, \$1.

Thoroughly tested for twenty years. Stuart's Gin and Buchu, pleasant to take. You can rely on this grand ours for weak kidneys. To get a free sample bottle simply write (a request on a postal card will do) Stuart Drug Co., Atlanta. Ga., and Stuart's Gin and Buchu will be sent at once prepaid. There are no other conditions so don't hesitate to write us at any time.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber STAR OFFICE, August 5. SPIRITS TURPENTINE - Market steady at 48%c per gallon. ROSIN—Nothing doing.

Aug. 5.—Galveston, quiet at 12c, net receipts — bales; Norfolk, steady at 12½c, net receipts 1 bale; Baltimore, nominal at 13c, net receipts — bales; Boston, dull at 12.75c, net receipts 41 bales; Wilmington, TAR-Market firm at \$1.65 per bar-CRUDE TURPENTINE - Market firm at \$1.75 per barrel for hard, \$3.25 for dip, \$8.25 for virgin. nominal at -c, net receipts - bales; Quotations same day last year— Spirits turpentine firm at 43c; Philadelphia, steady at 13c, net rec ipts — bales; Savannah, firm at 13%c, net receipts — bales; New Orleans, quiet at 13c, net receipts 1 bale; Mobile, nominal at —, net rerosin steady at \$1.10@1.15; tar firm at \$1.50; crude turpentine firm at \$1.40,

2.50@2.60. Spirits turpentine..... Rosin Tar

Receipts same day last year—103 casks spirits turpentine, 126 barrels rosin, 55 barrels tar, 131 barrels crude turpentine. COTTON. Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm %c for middling.

ected Regularly by Wilmington Product those paid for prod

Receipts -- bales; same day last

COUNTRY PRODUCE. PEANUTS-North Carolina, firm. Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra rime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 75c. CORN-Firm; 65@67%c per bushel N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 14@

15c per pound; shoulders, 10@13%c

EGGS-Dull at 14@15c per dozen. OHICKENS-Firm. Grown, 20@ 35c; springs, 15@25c. TURKEYS—Firm at 13@13%c for

BEESWAX-Firm at 25c. TALLOW-Firm at 5%@6%c per SWEET POTATOES-Firm at 60c

BEEF CATTLE-Firm at 2@5c per

FINANCIAL MARKETS By Telegraph to the Morning Star

folc. lower. September corn was NEW YORK, Aug. 5. - Money on call was steady at 2@3 per cent , closdown 101c; oats were off to, and pro visions were unchanged to 2105c. ing at 202% per cent; time money firm; 60 days, 4 per cent.; 90 days, 4% per cent.; six months 5% @5% DRICAGO, Aug. 5.—Cash prices Flour steady. Wheat-No. 2 81@82c; per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5% No. 8 spring 76@80c; No. 2 red 78 %@ @6 per cent. Sterling exchange weak; actual business in bankers' bills 79%. Corn—No.251%@52%; No.2 yel low 52%c. Oats—No. 233%@35%c; No. at 485,45@485,50 for demand and at 483.13@483.20 for sixty-day bills. The 2 white 34 1/c; No.3 white 34 1/4 @35 1/c. posted rates were 484 and 486 %. Commercial bills 483. Bar silver 55 %. Rye-No. 2 50%c. Mess pork, per barrel, \$13 45@13 50 Lard, per 10 Bs, \$7 72%@7 75. Short rib sides, Mexican dollars 42%. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds were loose, \$7 70@7 95. Dry salted shoulquoted weak. U. S. refunding 3's, registered, 106%; U. S. refunding ders, boxed, \$7 50@7 67%. Short clear sides, boxed, \$8 3714@8 50. 2's, coupon, 106%; U.S. 3's, registered Whiskey-Basis of high wines, \$1 30. 06%; do. coupon, ex int, 106%; U.S. 41 new registered, 1841; do. coupon ex int., 1841; U. S. 4's, old, registered ows-opening, highest, lowest an closing: Wheat-No. 2 September, old, 80%, 80%, 79%, 79c; September, new, 80%@81, 81, 79%, 79%@79%; Decem-109%; U.S. 4's, old coupon, 109%; U. S s's, registered, 101%; do. coupon, ex int 101%; Southern Railway, 5's, 111% ber, new, 81%@81%, 81%, 80%@80%, Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 851/4 80%@80%;May 82%@83%, 83%, 82%, 82%@82%c. Corn—No. 2 September Chesapeake & Ohio 26%; Manhattan L 130%; New York Centra 524@524, 534, 51%, 52%c; December 52@524, 534@524, 51%, 514@51%; 116%; Reading 45%; do. 1st preferred 80; do. 2nd preferred 65; St. Pau May 524 @524, 534 @524, 514 @52, 52c. Oats-No.2 September 344 @844, 135 1/4; do. pref'd, 169; Southern Rail-34%, 34%, 34%c; December 35% @35% way 1714; do. pref'd 801/4; Amaiga-Copper 37%; People's Gas 35%, 35, 35@35%c; May 37%@37% 92: Tennessee Coal and Iron 35% 36%, 66%@37c. Mess pork, U. S. Leather 7; U. S. Leather bbl-September \$13 65, 13 65, preferred, 76%; Western Union 82% 13 6, 13 65. Lard, per 100 lbs-Septem ber \$7 95, 7 95, 7 92%, 7 92%; October U. S. Steel 21; do. pref'd 69; Vir ginia Carolina Chemical Co., sales \$7 75, 7 75, 7 72%, 7 72%. Short ribs, 19,910 shares; high 23%, low 21, closing per 100 lbs-September \$8 1214, 8 1214. 2314; do. preferred, sales 550, high 85 8 1714, 8 10; October \$7 95, 7 95, 7 9214, low 80, closing 85. Standard Oil 590. BALTIMORE, MD., Aug. 5.—Sea board Air Line, common, 19; do. prefer red, 34; do. bonds, fours, 77 %. Atlantic FOREIGN MARKET Coast Line, common, no sales; do. pre-

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star NEW YORK, Aug. 5. - Rosin nominal Strained, common to good, \$1 95. Spirits turpentine nominal at 511/2652. CHARLESTON, Aug. 5.-Spirits tur centine was nominal; sales — caaks Rosin steady; sales — barrels; A, B, C, \$1 50; D, \$1 50, E \$1 55; F, \$1 60; G, \$1 70; H, \$2 70; I, \$2 60; K, \$3 75; M, \$2 85; N, \$2 95; W G, \$3 10; W W

SAVARRAH, Aug. 5.—Spirits tur centine firm at 49%; receipts 81 casks; sales 1,301 casks; exports 3,235 casks. Rosin-Market firm; receipts 1,382 barrels; sales 651 barrels; exports 8,089 barrels: A, B, C, \$1 55; D, \$1 55; E, 1 60; F, \$1 65, G, \$1 75; H, \$2 20; I, \$2 70; K \$2 85; M, \$2 95; N, \$3 07; W G, \$3 20; W W, \$3 40.

COTTON MARKETS.

Stmr City of Fayetteville, Bradshaw, By Telegraph to the Morning Star Fayetteville, James Madden. NEW YORK, August 5.-The cotto

market opened firm at an advance of four to fifteen points on the higher cables and light bull support in the rille, T D Love. new crop positions, but after advanc-River, S C, Stone & Co. ing another point or two on the active months, turned easier under liquida Payetieville, James Madden. tion following the withdrawal of sup Clyde steamer Carib, Devereux, Georgetown, S C, H G Smallbones. porting orders and generally favorabl weather reported over the cotton belt. After declining to a level within a eaux, Port de Paix, J T Riley & Co. few points of yesterday's finals it ruled very quiet, but fairly steady, moving only a point or two, first upward then downward, as buying or selling orders entered the market, but showing little movement or feature until in the last few minutes when it Woodruff, 140,510 feet yellow pine became much more active and very lumber and 40,000 cypress shingles, weak under more or less general sell valued at \$2,397 38; cargo by Chading led by a former prominent bull leader who was identified with the bourn Lumber Co; vessel by J T Riley & Co. May deal of last Spring. The selling was encouraged by the unsettled condition of affairs in Wall street and by the apparent indifference or inability of the bull pool to hold prices, which led to rumors that they themselves were unloading. August sold to 11.55, a net decline from the opening of fifty Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotto points, but afterwards recovered part of the loss, closing at 11.70; September attracted the heaviest selling pentine, 86 barrels tar, 7 barrels crude and declined forty-one points from the turpentine best price of the morning, while the atter position showed losses of from urpentine, 2 barrels erude turpentine. twenty-two to twenty-eight points as turpentine, 14 barrels tar, 16 barrels compared with the opening figures.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5. - Cotton steady at 12.75c; net receipts - bales; gross receipts 121 bales; stock 213,434 bales. Cotton futures opened firm: August 12.00@13.05, September 10.84, October 10.06, November 9.90, December 9.85, January 9.86, February -, March

new crop months, with the gene, . !

list showing net losses of from fift en

to thirty-one points. Sales were esti-

mated at 100,000 bales.

Cotton futures market closed weak: August 11.70, September 10.45, October 9.84, November 9.62, December 9.64, January 9 65, February 9.67, March

Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 12.75; middling gulf 13.00c; sales 187 bales. liTotal to-day, at all seaports—Net re-ceipts 48 bales; exports to Great Britain 35 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent — bales; stock 213,434 bales. Consolidated, at all sesports—Net

receipts 1,160 bales; exports to Great Britain 6,933 bales; exports to France 3 bales; exports to the Continent

celpts bales; Memphis, quiet at 12 13-16, net receipts 16 bales; Augusta, nomi-

nsl at 13c, net receipts - bales; Charles-

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.-Flour was quiet but firmly held. Rye flour duli;

fair to good \$2 95@3 30. Wheat—Spot strady; No. 2 red 83%c. Options closed %@%c net higher: May closed 87;Sep.

tember closed 84%c; December closed 85%c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 58%.

Options market closed 1/2 net lower; September closed 58/2c; December

cosed 58%c. Oats—Spot easy; No. 2, 38c. Lard steady; refined dull. Pork

easy. Tallow dull. Butter irregular;

extra creamery 19c; State dairy 14@

17%c. Cheese was steady; State, Juli

cream fancy, small colored, 10%c; large

colored 10c; small white 10%c; large

white 10c. Polatoes easy; Southern

\$1 25@1 75; Virginia sweets \$1 75@3 25;

Long Island \$1 75@1 37; Jersey \$1 62@

1 87. Cabbages steady; Long Island, per 100,\$4 00@5 00. Coffee—Spot quiet. Peanuts steady: fancy hand-picked

Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked

reights to Liverpool quiet-Cotto

by steam 12c. Eggs strong; State and

Pennsylvania fancy mixed 21c. Cotton

seed oil showed little activity, holding

about steady at the old quotations.

Sales: Prime erude f. o. b. mills

28@29c, new crop; prime summer yel-

lo + 42@43c; off summer yellow 38 %c;

prime white 47c; prime winter yel-

CHICAGO, Aug. 5.-Low prices ruled

in both the grain and provision pits

to-day and wheat was exceedingly

weak, the September delivery closing

By Cable to the Morning Etar.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 5.-Cotton: Spot,

oderate business; prices firm, 8 to 10

points higher; American middling fair

1.18d; good middling 6.96d; middling

3.70d; low middling 6.44d; good ordi

nary 6.18d; ordinary 5.98d. The sales

of the day were 8,000 baies, of which

1,000 bales were for speculation and

export and included 7,100 bales Amer-

can. Receipts 15,000 bales, including

futures opened firm and close

quiet; American middling (g o c :

August 6.40d; August and September

3.34d; September 6.84d; September

and October 5.87d; October and No-

vember 5.48d; November and Decem-

ber 5.37@5.38d; December and Jan-

uary 5.33@5.84d; January and Feb-

ruary 5.32@5.33d; February and March 5.32d; March and April 5.31@

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turpentine, 3 barrels tar, 1 barrel crude

W. & N. Railroad -19 casks apirits

Steamer Tar Heel-19 casks spirits

Steamer Sanders-7 casks apirite tur-

Schooner Argyle-16 casks spirits

Schooner Leo-12 casks spirits tur-

Chauncey T .- 1 barrel rosin, 18 bar-

Total—98 casks spirits turpentine, 201 barrels rosin, 77 barrels tar, 98 barrels

NOTRE DAME OF MARYLAND

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turpentine, 65 barrels rosin, 24 barrels

tar, 43 barrels crude turpentine.

pentine, 16 barrels rosin.

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turpentine, 93 barrels rosin.

turpentine, 5 barrels ros:n, 11 barrels

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PORT DE PAIX-Schr Arthur V 8

11,000 bales American.

ton, nominal, net receipts - bales.

7,015 bales; exports to Japan — bales.
Total since September 1st, at all
seaports—Net receipts 7,700,835 bales;
exports to Great Britain 2,784,482 bales; IS MADE OF exports to France 777,326 bales; exports to the Continent 2,817,628 bales: exports to Japan 185,133 bales.

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